



Grace Lutheran Church & Grace Christian School

Administrative Council Notes: February 24th, 2019 @ 12:00 p.m.

Leadership Assembly Meeting (Elders/Council/Senior Staff)

Opening Devotion: John 17; 21-23 24; 1-6, lead by Michelle Q.

Update on Policy Based Governance Consultancy: Pastor Pete updated the group with information provided by Les Stroh and his upcoming visits. Current teams in place and what we can look forward to with continuing with PBG.

Vicar David Update: Vicar David shared his current progress and his aspirations with the group along with some hurdles for the future. Continued support and prayers are needed for his future ministry. Jack opened us in an open group prayer session.

Senior Staff Budget Preparation: Budget preparation is being worked on within the Senior Staff for the 19-20 year. Senior staff would like to be transparent by having a discussion with congregation regarding our budget and current financial stance. Discussed timeline for draft completion for council and for voters. Open discussion in regards to any suggestions or questions.

Stewardship Observations and Notes: Mark discussed current contribution performance. Upcoming messages for thanksgiving messages, needs and our goals. Discussed needing a different message for smaller givers versus those who give more generously.

Conference Update: Ben and Pastor Scott shared information they brought back from the conference they attended. Information they found important and interesting. They shared information regarding Policy Based Governance vs. Policy Governance. Ben also added that we may want to consider changing our "Statement" to include marriage between a man and woman as their gender at birth as referenced.

Other Business:

- **March 9th, 2019- Mens Ministry to hold a Brunch from 9-11am, Men Only**
- **Next Council Meeting: March 11th, 2019 @ 6:30 p.m.**

Closing Prayer, lead by Pastor Scott

Adjournment to next meeting